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Dear Mr. Seraydarian:

EDA has received a proposal to fund equipment and site improvements for ferrous metals recovery from the Salt River Pima-Maricopa Indian Community's Tri-City Landfill. Knowing your agency's expertise and responsibility in the area of solid waste disposal, James Applegate of my staff contacted Fred Hoffman of your staff. Mr. Hoffman revealed that EPA is currently involved in technical assistance to the Salt River Indian Community's waste disposal operation. I would appreciate it if your agency would comment on the Community's proposal to EDA, a copy of which I have enclosed.

Sincerely,

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